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AND METHOD OF DISPLAYING MEASURED RESULTS THEREFROM

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- 3. Computer-generated English translations of the following Japanese Patent Publication have been obtained from the website of the Japanese Patent Office (<http://www.jpo.go.jp>), and are attached, but have not been reviewed for accuracy. See References 1-4 and 6-8.

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